

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-74

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL ACCEPTING AWARD
OF FUTURE REIMBURSEMENT OF \$60,000 FROM DEPARTMENT OF
HOMELAND SECURITY FOR PURCHASE OF RADIOS FOR THE LODI
POLICE DEPARTMENT SPECIAL WEAPONS AND TACTICS TEAM;
AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS TO
COVER THIS PURCHASE IN THE INTERIM

WHEREAS, Lodi Municipal Code §3.20.070 authorizes dispensing with bids for purchases of supplies, services, or equipment when it is in the best interest of the City to do so; and

WHEREAS, the Lodi Police Department Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) team is currently using radios that have been utilized for the past 15 years; and

WHEREAS, following the 9/11 terrorist attack, the Department of Homeland Security analyzed emergency procedures and found that many police radios did not possess the capability of communicating with other emergency personnel; and

WHEREAS, the SWAT team's radios fall into this category, and due to the age of these radios, specialized conversion attachments are not available and replacement spare-parts are no longer made; and

WHEREAS, to eliminate this safety issue, the Department of Homeland Security has funding available through reimbursement grants, in which the Lodi Police Department has submitted a grant request and has been awarded approval to purchase \$60,000 of radios, via sole source, from Motorola; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the City Council authorize acceptance of the award for future reimbursement of \$60,000 from the Department of Homeland Security for the purchase of radios for the Lodi Police Department SWAT team, and further approves appropriation of \$60,000 from the Public Safety Special Revenue Fund for the radio purchase in the interim.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorize acceptance of the award for future reimbursement of \$60,000 from the Department of Homeland Security for the purchase of radios for the Lodi Police Department SWAT team, and further approves appropriation of \$60,000 from the Public Safety Special Revenue Fund for the radio purchase in the interim.

Dated: May 2, 2007

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2007-74 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held May 2, 2007, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen, Hitchcock, Katzakian, Mounce, and
Mayor Johnson

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



RANDI JOHL
City Clerk